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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

The initial period for filing a Response to the Non-Final Office Action dated September 26, 2001 expired on December 26, 2001.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136 petition is hereby made for a one month extension of time up to and including January 26, 2002 in which to file the Response. A check in the amount of \$55.00 for the extension fee is enclosed herewith.

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Authorization is hereby provided to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully Submitted,

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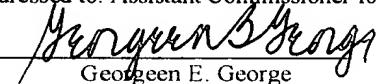


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